

The office of Congressman John Olver (D-MA) accepts intern applications for the Fall and Spring semesters and for the Summer. Internships are an excellent opportunity for college students and recent graduates to gain firsthand experience with the federal government. Responsibilities and tasks can vary, but interns are generally responsible for:

- researching and responding to constituent letters
- attending briefings and hearings on various legislative issues
- giving tours of the U.S. Capitol building
- performing administrative duties

Internships are usually full-time, but the intern coordinator may arrange part-time schedules. Students from the 1st District of Massachusetts are preferred, but all applicants are welcome. Due to budget constraints, all internships are UNPAID, but many colleges allow you to arrange for credit. To apply, please call the office at 202-225-5335 and ask for the Intern Coordinator's email address.

In your email, please attach your resume and cover letter, and include the telephone numbers of two references. Please submit your resume by mid-August for the Fall semester, mid-November for the Spring semester, and mid-April for the Summer.

If you have any questions about DC internships, please call Congressman Olver's Washington office at 202-225-5335 and ask to speak with the Intern Coordinator.

Internships are also available in my district offices. To learn more, please contact Keith Barnicle at 413-532-7010 or keith.barnicle@mail.house.gov.